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1. The Bulgarian General Staff is located in Sofia and has under its command the following armies:

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First Army with headquarters at Sofia
Second Army with headquarters at Plovdiv
Third Army with headquarters at Kolarovgrad
Fourth Army with headquarters at Pleven

2. The First Army has under its command the following units located as shown:

1 Infantry Division - Sofia
6 Infantry Division - Vratsa
7 Infantry Division - Marek (Dupnitsa)
25 Infantry Regiment (Independent) - Gara Pirin

This regiment is reportedly scheduled to become an independent mountain infantry brigade.

1 Armored Division - Sofia
1 Motorized Transportation Regiment - Sofia
1 Engineer Regiment - Sofia
1 Anti-Aircraft Regiment - Sofia
1 Heavy Artillery Regiment - Sofia

This regiment is scheduled to become a heavy artillery brigade as are all heavy artillery regiments belonging to the various armies. They will have 150 mm guns, 240 mm mortars, and "katoushki".

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1 Signal Corps Regiment - Sofia
Railroad Regiment - Sofia
Guards Cavalry Regiment - Breznik
Armored School - Botevgrad
Signal School - Sofia
Railroad School - Sofia
Military Academy "Vasil Levski" - Sofia
Artillery Officers School - Sofia
Army General Hospital - Sofia
1 Divisional Hospital - Sofia
Mountain pack artillery battalion (Independent) - Razlog

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3. The Second Army has under its command the following units.

2 Infantry Division	- Plovdiv
8 Infantry Division	- Stara Zagora
10 Infantry Division	- Kerdzhali
2 Heavy Artillery Regiment	- Plovdiv (to become a brigade)
Anti-aircraft artillery regiment	- Plovdiv
Divisional hospital	- Plovdiv
2 Engineer Regiment	- Plovdiv
2 Armored Brigade	- Plovdiv
Anti-Tank Battalion	- Plovdiv
Mountain pack artillery battalion	- Momchilgrad
Engineer regiment	- Stara Zagora
Anti-aircraft regiment	- Kazanluk
Air School	- Kazanluk

4. The Third Army has under its command the following units:

3 Infantry Division	- Sliven
4 Infantry Division	- In the process of moving to Kolarovgrad, Tolbokhin, or Stalin (Varna).
Coast artillery brigade	- Stalin (Varna)
3 Heavy Artillery Regiment	- Kolarovgrad (to become a brigade)
3 Engineer Regiment	- Kolarovgrad
Anti-aircraft regiment	- Burgas
Army Hospital	- Kolarovgrad

5. The Fourth Army has under its command the following units:

5 Infantry Division	- Ruse
9 Infantry Division	- Pleven
4 Engineer Regiment	- Pleven
4 Heavy Artillery Regiment	- Pleven (to become a brigade)
Engineer pontoon regiment	- Nikopol
Anti-aircraft regiment	- Gorna Orehovitsa
Reserve Officers School	- Turnovo

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6. There are other units belonging to Second, Third and Fourth Armies whose exact location is unknown they are presently in transit from one place to another. there are still remnants of former cavalry regiments, but that they have been shifted around so much in the last three months that their exact location and composition can not be determined.

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7. The following are the units belonging to the divisions enumerated in preceding paragraphs:

1 Infantry Division

1 Infantry Regiment	- Sofia
6 Infantry Regiment	- Sofia
39 Infantry Regiment	- Vicinity of Sofia
4 Divisional Artillery Regiment	- Sofia

2 Infantry Division

9 Infantry Regiment	- Plovdiv
27 Infantry Regiment	- Pazardzhik
Unknown infantry regiment	- Unspecified location
Anti-tank battalion	- Plovdiv

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3 Infantry Division

11 Infantry Regiment	- Sliven
24 Infantry Regiment	- Burgas
29 Infantry Regiment	- Yambol
Divisional artillery regiment	- Yambol

4 Infantry Division

8 Infantry Regiment	- Stalin (Varna)
19 Infantry Regiment	- Razgrad
46 Infantry Regiment	- Tolbukhin

5 Infantry Division

5 Infantry Regiment	- Ruse
18 Infantry Regiment	- Nova Zagora
31 Infantry Regiment	- Silistra
Divisional artillery regiment	- Ruse
Engineer battalion	- Ruse

6 Infantry Division

2 Infantry Regiment	- Mikhaylovgrad and Belogradchik
3 Infantry Regiment	- Vidin
35 Infantry Regiment	- Vratsa and Berkovitsa
6 (?) Divisional Artillery Regiment	- Vratsa
Engineer battalion	- Vidin

7 Infantry Division

13 Infantry Regiment	- Kyustendil
14 Infantry Regiment	- Blagoevgrad
22 Infantry Regiment	- Marek (Dupnitsa)
Divisional artillery regiment	- Kyustendil
Anti-tank battalion	- Kyustendil
Engineer battalion	- Marek (Dupnitsa)

8 Infantry Division

12 Infantry Regiment	- Stara Zagora
23 Infantry Regiment	- Kazanluk
Divisional artillery regiment	- Stara Zagora

9 Infantry Division

4 Infantry Regiment	- Pleven
15 Infantry Regiment	- Orehovo
34 Infantry Regiment	- Lovech
Divisional artillery regiment	- Pleven

10 Infantry Division

10 Infantry Regiment	- Kerdzhali
30 Infantry Regiment	- In the process of establishing headquarters at either Momchilgrad or Ivailovgrad
Unknown Infantry Regiment	- Smolyan
Divisional Artillery Regiment	- Kerdzhali
Anti-Tank Battalion	- Ivailovgrad

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11 Infantry Division

Its headquarters is being set up in Sredets and will shortly be activated. It has no attached troops at this time. It will eventually control the Elhovo-Sredets area.

8. There is a possibility of 18 Infantry Regiment being taken away from 5 Infantry Division and assigned to 3 Infantry Division.
9. The 39 Infantry Regiment is in fact assigned to 1 Division, but has not been confirmed by general orders.
10. The headquarters of Third Army will be officially transferred in the near future from Kolarovgrad to Sliven.
11. The 8 Infantry Division is scheduled to be officially transferred from Stara Zagora to Haskovo.
12. The 9 Infantry Division is scheduled to be transferred, with all its component units, from Pleven to a location on the Bulgarian south-eastern border, somewhere near or east of Kharmanlii.